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examined these particular subdivisions and their needs. We're not a very...we're not very good in the Revenue Committee of being able to assess their needs, what their program requirements are. That's the purview of the Appropriations Committee. So maybe later on you will be able to get a more balanced discussion about those topics. I would certainly like to visit the aid programs and the formulas, see if we can't rationalize those, but we weren't able to do that and bring it to you in the context of LB 142. But I do believe we have time to do that later, and don't...do not support Senator Beutler's amendment...

SENATOR CROSBY: Time.

SENATOR WICKERSHAM: ...to suspend the germaneness rule.

SENATOR CROSBY: Thank you, Senator Wickersham. Further discussion. Senator Schellpeper.

SCHELLPEPER: SENATOR Yes, thank you, Madam President and members. I think this morning this body needs to really stop and think about what Senator Beutler's attempting to do. fall the voters went to the polls, they voted what they wanted do with those vehicle taxes. Now Senator Beutler is coming back and saying the voters didn't know what they were doing; they're not smart enough to make that decision. The voters are always right, no matter what you do. Their view is right. may not agree with it, but it's the right thing to do. majority spoke and you have to go with that. We had a bill the General Affairs Committee, LB 187, that was attempting to take some money out of the Environmental Trust and put it into the building...the 309 Building Fund. Well, that didn't prove to be too popular, and so we thought we would give maybe that money then to the NR...the NRDs. And they actually came in and said, we don't want that money. It was about \$4 million. said, we don't want that money, leave it where it's at, we want some different money, we want state revenue, but we want different money than from this Environmental Trust. Now we tried, we tried to give it to them, because there was enough votes, I think, to get it out of the committee, because we kind of were putting things together, but then they came in and they opposed it. Now that kind of tells me that if you...if they